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**MEMORANDUM FOR COMMITTEE MANAGEMENT SECRETARIAT  
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION**

**SUBJECT:** Committee Charter Consultation – *Ocean Research Advisory Panel*

The Department of Defense, pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, as amended, intends to renew the charter for the *Ocean Research Advisory Panel* (attached). The Committee will operate under the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act of 1972, as amended and in accordance with 41 CFR § 102-3.50.

Prior to filing the Committee's charter with the Library of Congress and the appropriate congressional committees the Department of Defense respectfully requests that the Committee Management Secretariat review and approve the proposed charter (attached). The proposed charter has been reviewed and approved by the Office of the General Counsel for the Department of Defense.

If you should have any questions about this charter please contact my point of contact, Megan McPherson, at 703-614-1329.

James Freeman  
Advisory Committee Management  
Officer for the Department of Defense

Attachments  
Proposed Charter